## IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE

In re Application of:

Nikolai Mykola IGNATYEV et al. Examiner: Rei Tsang Shaio

Serial No.: 10/579,556 Group Art Unit: 1626

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Title: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF MONO- AND BIS(FLUOROALKYL)-

PHOSPHORANES AND THE CORRESPONDING ACIDS AND PHOSPHATES

## **REPLY**

Mail Stop – Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action issued August 20, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.